

LATE DEVELOPMENTS IN THE LOCAL SPORT WORLD

BANQUET TENDERED TO M. L. CLEVETT

Retiring Y.M.C.A. Director Presented With Several Remembrances.

Adieu was bidden to M. L. Clevett, the retiring physical director at the Fairmont Y. M. C. A. last evening when a banquet was tendered to him by the members of the Business Men's gymnasium class of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Clevett leaves for Lafayette, Ind., where he has accepted a position as director of gymnasium work, intramural athletics and swimming. An excellent menu was served by the ladies of the woman's department of the local Y. M. C. A.

J. O. Watson, toastmaster, stated that he regretted to see Mr. Clevett leave the Y. M. C. A. here, but he was going to Purdue University, where there are from 2,280 to 3,000 students. He stated that he was pleased to see Mr. Clevett's successor, present on the occasion, R. T. Cunningham on behalf of the board of directors, presented Mr. Clevett with a loving cup. On behalf of the business men's class, Attorney Henry S. Lively presented Mr. Clevett with a pocket bill containing a brand new \$100 bill and later with a gold watch, the gift of the woman's department. Mr. Clevett made an appropriate response. After the dinner he left the city.

Addresses were also made by Attorney Clay D. Amos, Dr. C. H. Neill, A. J. Ash, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., Prof. Joseph Rosier, G. H. Colebank, Homer C. Toothman and Dr. W. J. Boydston. Mr. Bohler, the new physical director, then responded.

Those present were as follows: C. H. Neill, H. H. Stagers, Treve Nutter, C. W. Corbin, Ward Downs, Oscar Wilson, George Brobat, J. C. Evans, Clyde A. Hill, Frank Amos, Charles Arnett, H. S. Barnes, Homer Toothman, W. T. Black, J. E. Kelley, H. L. Satterfield, Lamar Satterfield, D. A. Maurer, H. H. Rose, G. H. Colebank, J. L. Hall, B. H. Fannus, Paul Hamilton, R. C. Jones, Lloyd E. Sample, H. S. Lively, Chas. G. Hood, W. J. Boydston, Kenneth Barnes, S. W. Wright, Dr. Barnett, D. M. Osgood, A. J. Cash, W. D. Stockley, Mitchell Mills, Carl Rigg, Jennings Martin, Paul Fleming, C. C. Bell, R. W. Lamar, A. C. Kendall, W. L. Satterfield, R. L. Kingsland, M. L. Clevett, G. M. Bohler, J. O. Watson, W. W. Arnett, Mr. Bird, Mr. Beers.



Merry Christmas having went, Father's purse is badly bent.

Henry Ford's too busy, John D. Rockefeller is too old and the rest of us haven't enough money to live this coming battle between Jack Dempsey and Georges Carpentier.

It costs so much to stake this bout.

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It looks like we would be without.

Luke Dillon, aged 79, has entered the University of Pennsylvania. Luke will be eligible for the freshman team if he so desires. We're going to save our sugar and go to school.

For a college chum we often yearn, But one who is never too old to learn.

Walter, then again led the American team in effectiveness, and he was on the least effective team of the league. If it wasn't for Walt the Nationals would probably beat Connie Mack out of the low-down honors.

Mack is such an elongated feller. We wonder how he stands in a cellar.

High salaried jobs or partnerships in a lucrative business always lure around the corner waiting some ball-player who is dissatisfied with the money his club pays him.

In winter time it's quite the thing, For a player to hold out till spring.

Colonels Ruppert and Huston, Frazer and Comiskey, stood on the dock and watched the Soviet ark lift anchor. They thought how nice it would be if Ban Johnson was aboard.

THE DIFFERENCE.
"What little boy can tell me the difference between the 'quick' and the 'dead'?" asked the Sunday school teacher.

Willie waved his hand frantically. "Well, Willie?"
"The 'quick' are the ones that get out of the way of automobiles; the ones that don't are the 'dead'."—Philadelphia Record.

HIS DESCRIPTION.
The colored prisoner denied the officer's charge that he was full of liquor.

"Sam," said the judge, "I wonder if you know what liquor is."
"Oh, yes, sah," answered Sam. "Liquor am somethin' thar ain't none of."—Boston Transcript.

TRAP SHOOTING SCORES ALL IN

Kentucky and Washington State Men Are Tied For First Place.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—With scores of 298 each M. Henderson, of Lexington, Ky., and F. M. Troeh, of Vancouver, Wash., lead all the other state trapshooting champions in the amateur ranks throughout the United States and Canada for the season of 1919. The State Champions and East and West Canada title holders, arranged alphabetically follow:

Alabama, W. E. Gordan, Mobile, 283.
Arizona, T. L. Edens, Phoenix, 292.
Arkansas, J. E. Chaffield, Texarkana, 288.
Canada (West), W. M. Hamilton, Winnipeg, 288.
Canada (East), S. G. Vance, Tillamook, 290.
California (a) J. F. Dodds, Los Angeles, 291.
Colorado (b), W. H. Thomas, Denver, 285.
Connecticut, H. G. Barstow, Rockville, 293.
Delaware, W. M. Ford, Wilmington, 277.
Florida, W. N. Boylston, Leesburg, 291.
Georgia, H. D. Freeman, Atlanta, 272.
Idaho, Charles Hahn, Lewiston, 283.
Illinois, Mark P. Arie, Thomasboro, 295.
Indiana, M. E. Dewire, Hamilton, 294.
Iowa, B. F. Elbert, Des Moines, 294.
Kansas, F. J. Cairns, Tampa, 285.
Kentucky, W. Henderson, Lexington, 298.

Maine, A. H. Waldron, Richmond, 286.
Maryland (c), R. D. Morgan, Washington, 282.
Massachusetts, G. L. Osborne, Brookline, 287.
Michigan, J. A. Skinner, Cedar Rapids, 296.
Minnesota, J. E. Harker, Minneapolis, 287.
Mississippi, C. P. Williams, Greenville, 283.

Missouri, W. M. Akers, Fair Play, 286.
Montana, E. L. Robbins, Billings, 286.
Nebraska, E. W. Varner, Adams, 291.

New Hampshire, E. E. Read, Manchester, 279.
New Jersey, C. B. Platt, Bridgeton, 289.

New York, F. S. Wright, Buffalo, 286.
North Carolina, H. A. Morson, Charlotte, 279.

North Dakota, A. R. Chemk, Portal, 291.
Ohio, L. M. Weedon, Cleveland, 288.

Oklahoma, V. H. Francis, Drumright, 292.
Oregon, J. W. Seavey, Portland, 293.

Pennsylvania, Edw. Hellyer, Alexandria, 295.
Rhode Island, C. H. Dillon, Auburn, 282.

South Carolina, P. R. Earle, Star, 291.
South Dakota, Frank Hughes, Mobridge, 291.

Tennessee, Ollie Williams, Nashville, 288.
Texas, N. C. Arie, Menard, 289.

Utah, C. H. Reilly, Jr., Salt Lake, 285.
Vermont, C. H. Burr, Montpelier, 285.

Virginia, W. D. Runnels, Staunton, 291.
Washington, F. M. Troeh, Vancouver, 298.

West Virginia, Richard Gerstell, Grafton, 277.
Wisconsin, F. G. Fuller, Mukwonago, 294.
Wyoming, A. C. Rice, Douglas, 292.

A includes Nevada; B includes New Mexico; C includes District of Columbia.

Norman E. Brookes states in a recent interview given after his return to Australia that tennis in the United States was booming and that the play was far superior to tennis in England. The superiority, he thought, was due to the public schools' participation in the game in the United States, and he added that while in England he was unsuccessful in efforts to induce the English public school authorities to introduce the game into the public schools.

The Australians' superiority over the Americans in doubles he attributed to a closer study of the game by the former and better tactics. But in singles the case was different, owing to the large population of the United States from which to draw first-class players. Speaking of the Davis Cup he thought that Australia would retain it in the coming matches with England beginning January 16 but if so the Americans would send down one of their best teams in 1920 in order to win it. Brookes said that he expected to play in the forthcoming Davis Cup matches provided he was in good health and in good form.

During a banquet at Swarthmore college recently "Bill" Roper, Princeton's football coach, in an address attributed the unusual popularity this year of football to the fact that it is the most interesting sport in America. The recently modified rules, he said, were responsible for the unusually

large attendance at all college games. Mr. Roper credited the first action toward making the game safer to Col. Roosevelt who, during the first year of his presidential administration called together the coaches of Harvard, Princeton and Yale and set in motion proceedings which ultimately resulted in making football one of the cleanest and safest sports in America.

He declared football was not merely a game, but was an American institution. It reaches more than any other sport and is a great training school for American manhood since it makes for physical fitness, besides teaching the value of team work.

The International Sporting club of Monte Carlo is making arrangements to revive the motor-boat and seaplane contests which were last held there in 1914. It is proposed to have the revival take place next April and a seaplane race from Monte Carlo to Tunis and return is to be one of the features of a varied four weeks' program.

Advices from Great Britain say that Field-Marshal Earl Haig, chairman of the Hurlingham Polo committee, will call a meeting shortly to discuss the preliminary arrangements for the defense in 1921 of the American cup which is now held in England. On the suggestion of the Hurlingham Club, the American Polo association has agreed that there shall be no contest for the cup before 1921.

HOME FROM THE EAST.
A. W. Wallace, head porter at the Fairmont, has returned from a visit to Washington and Lynchburg, Va., where he visited his family and friends. His sister-in-law, Mrs. W. C. Rester, returned here with him and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moore, of 203 Hamilton street.

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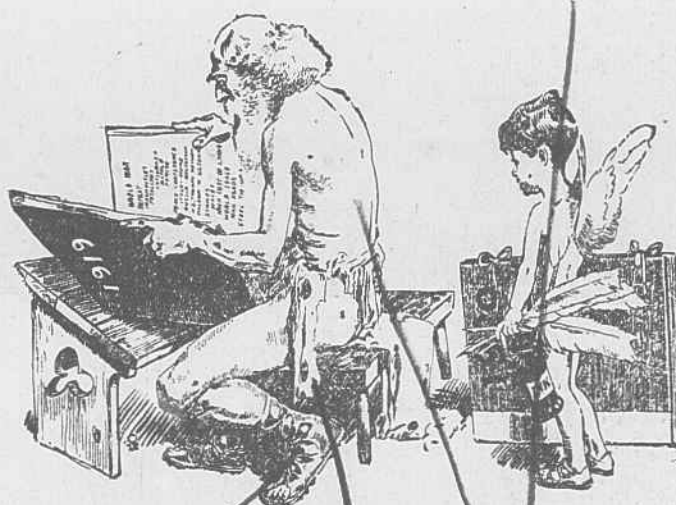
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